



**“Can a mother forget the baby at her breast  
and have no compassion on the child she has borne?  
Though she may forget, I will not forget you!”**

**The Lord in Isaiah 49:15**

**My next step(s) today is(are) to:**

- honor mother’s everywhere by working together to end poverty.
- honor my mother not just today but everyday in all I do and say.
- give all mother’s the gift of the peaceable kingdom of God.

### **This Week’s Events**

Mon.	May 14	6:30 pm	Facilities Team Meeting
Mon.	May 14	7:00 pm	Boy Scout Troop 1
Tues.	May 15	9:00 am	Bibles and Bagels@ Concannon’s
Tues.	May 15	7:00 pm	Close Knit Friends
Wed.	May 16	5:00 pm	Choir Practice
Thur.	May 17	10:00 am	Woodcarving & Crafting
Thur.	May 17	1:00 pm	Martha Circle

### **United Methodist Women Meeting**

Tuesday, May 15 at 10:00 am at High St. UMC Parish Hall. Leslie Hatcher, Center Director of First Choice for Women, is the speaker. A light brunch will be served make reservations with Mary Swanger – 282-9197. Please bring a package of baby wipes for distribution to new mothers/parents.

### **Food Pantry**

Volunteers are needed at the Food Pantry for May 23, 24, 25. Each day we will need two people from 8:45 am – 12:30 pm. The sign-up sheet is by the Mission bulletin board. Thanks for helping serve the Muncie community.

### **MARK YOUR CALENDAR-SAVE THE DATE**

**June 3** – M & M Jar Offering with Mission Luncheon following worship. Join us for a delicious meal, wonderful fellowship, and a short program with Frank Baldwin sharing about the programs of the Muncie Mission.

The Real Discipleship Survey is a simple way to see where we are in each of six dimensions of discipleship:

- A Life of Worship
- A Life of Hospitality
- A Life Opening to Jesus
- A Life Obeying Jesus
- A Life of Service
- A Life of Generosity

It will be most beneficial for you and for Riverside if each of us take this simple survey. It takes about ten minutes and you will receive a report indicating where you are on the path to maturity for each dimension, possible next steps for growth, and suggested resources for personal development.

As a congregation we will receive a matrix giving the percentage of persons identifying themselves in each of the levels of maturity for each dimension. (We will not see your personal results.) This matrix will help us plan an intentional discipleship process to help us as individuals and as a congregation grow as disciples. Your participation in this survey and making use of the resources that will be shared with you will help us to equip ourselves “for works of service, so that the body of Christ may be built up until we all reach unity in the faith and in the knowledge of the Son of God and become mature, attaining to the whole measure of the fullness of Christ” (Ephesians 4:12-13).

To take the survey online go to

<http://realdiscipleshipsurvey.com/survey/take.html> or [click here](#).

Enter Your Email address. Enter this code: gzMtLi. Enter your name and Riverside UMC.

You will see a matrix with six colors and four columns. Read each of the squares of ONE COLOR and select the one that best describes where you are. When you click on your selection the squares of that color will turn grey indicating you have completed that dimension.

If you do not have access to a computer you can contact the church office (288-4257) and make arrangements to come in and take the survey here at the church on our computers or to take the survey on paper and we will process it for you.